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THE NIGHTMARE BEFORE CHRISTMAS
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Enter an extraordinary world filled with magic and wonder –
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Jack Skellington, the Pumpkin King of Halloween Town, is bored with tricks and treats and yearns for something more. When Jack stumbles upon Christmas Town, he decides to bring this joyful holiday back to Halloween Town. Soon, he thinks he can even fill Santa's shoes.

But as Jack discovers in "Tim Burton's The Nightmare Before Christmas", it's always best to be yourself!

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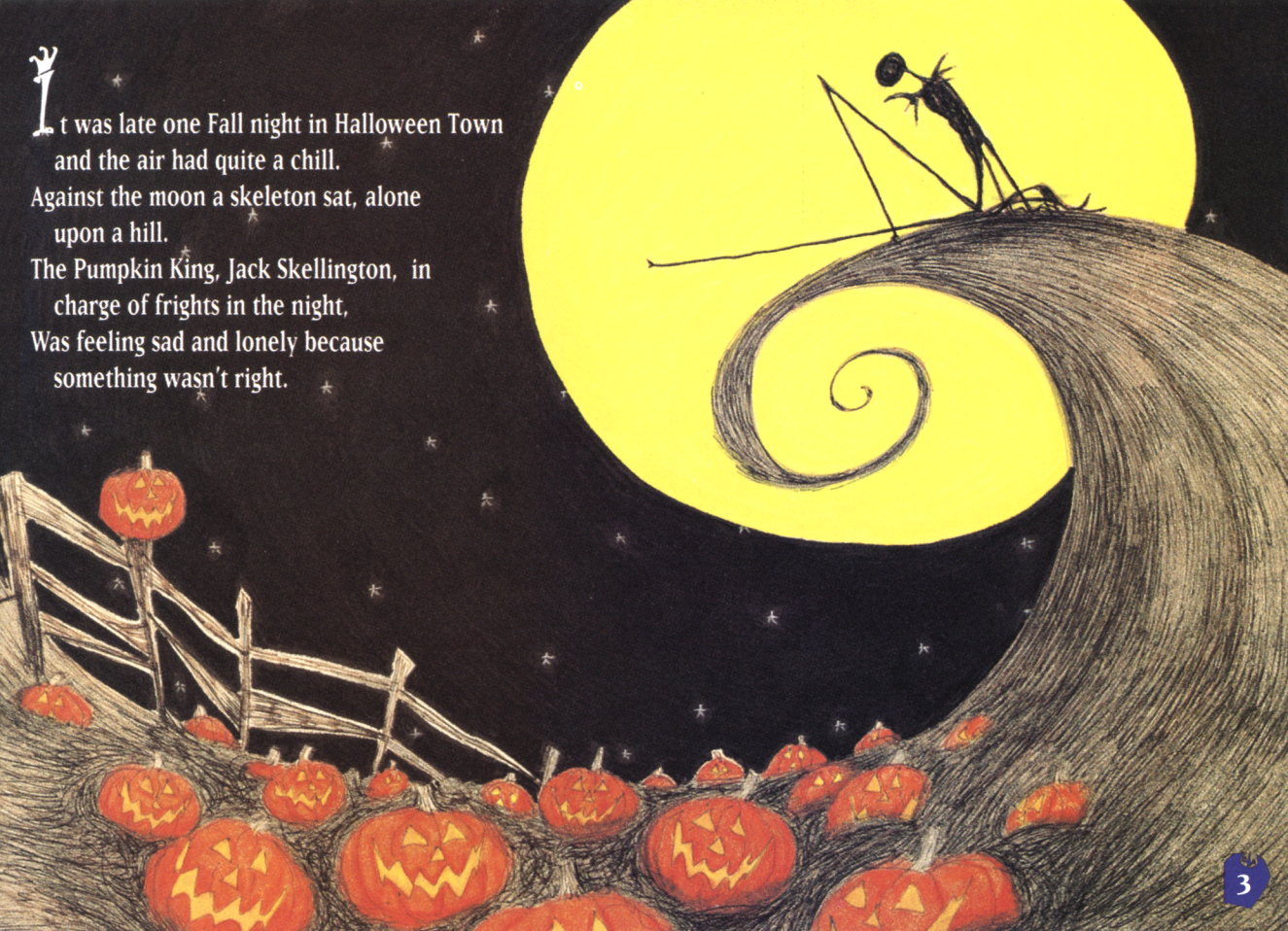
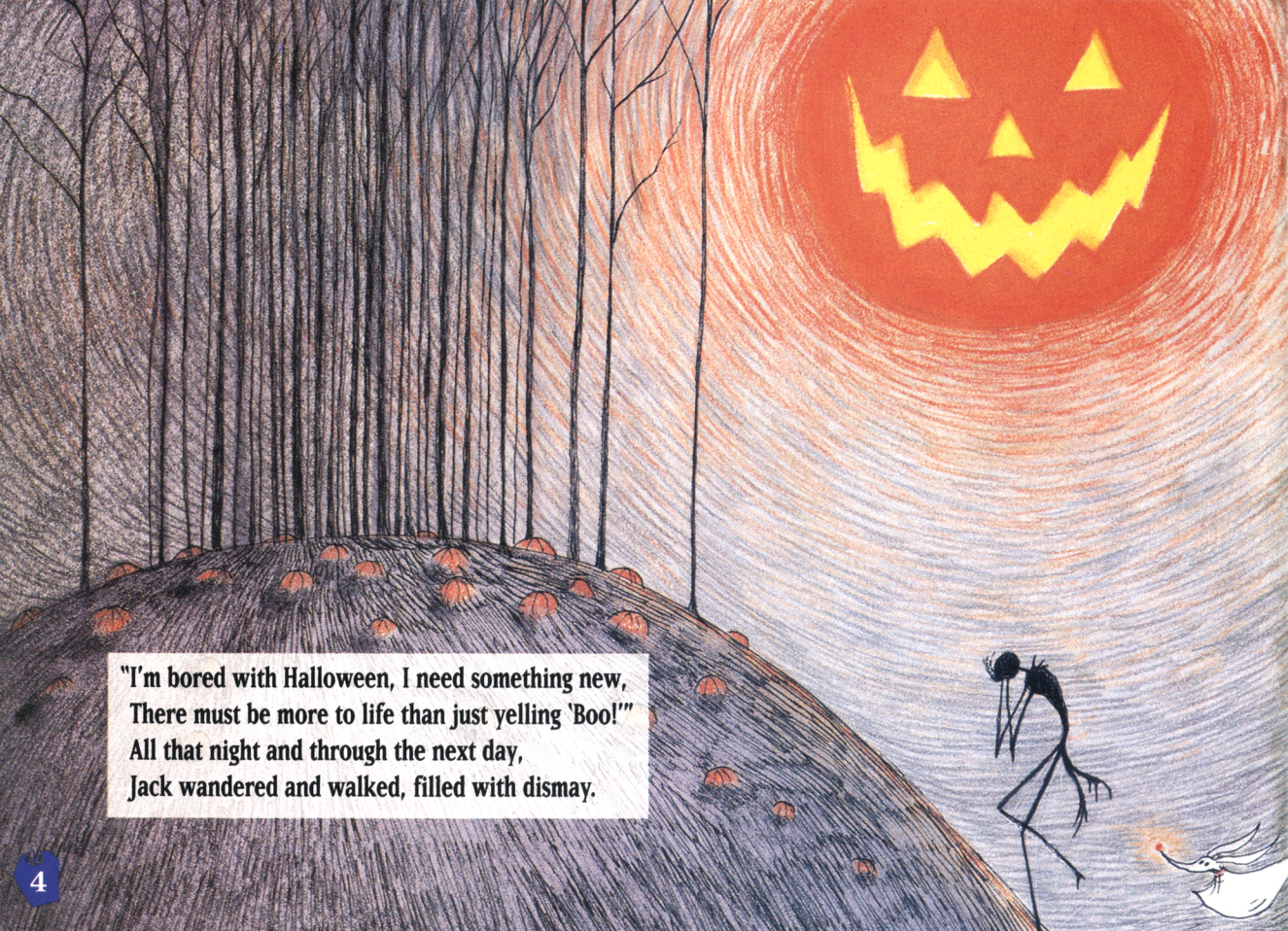
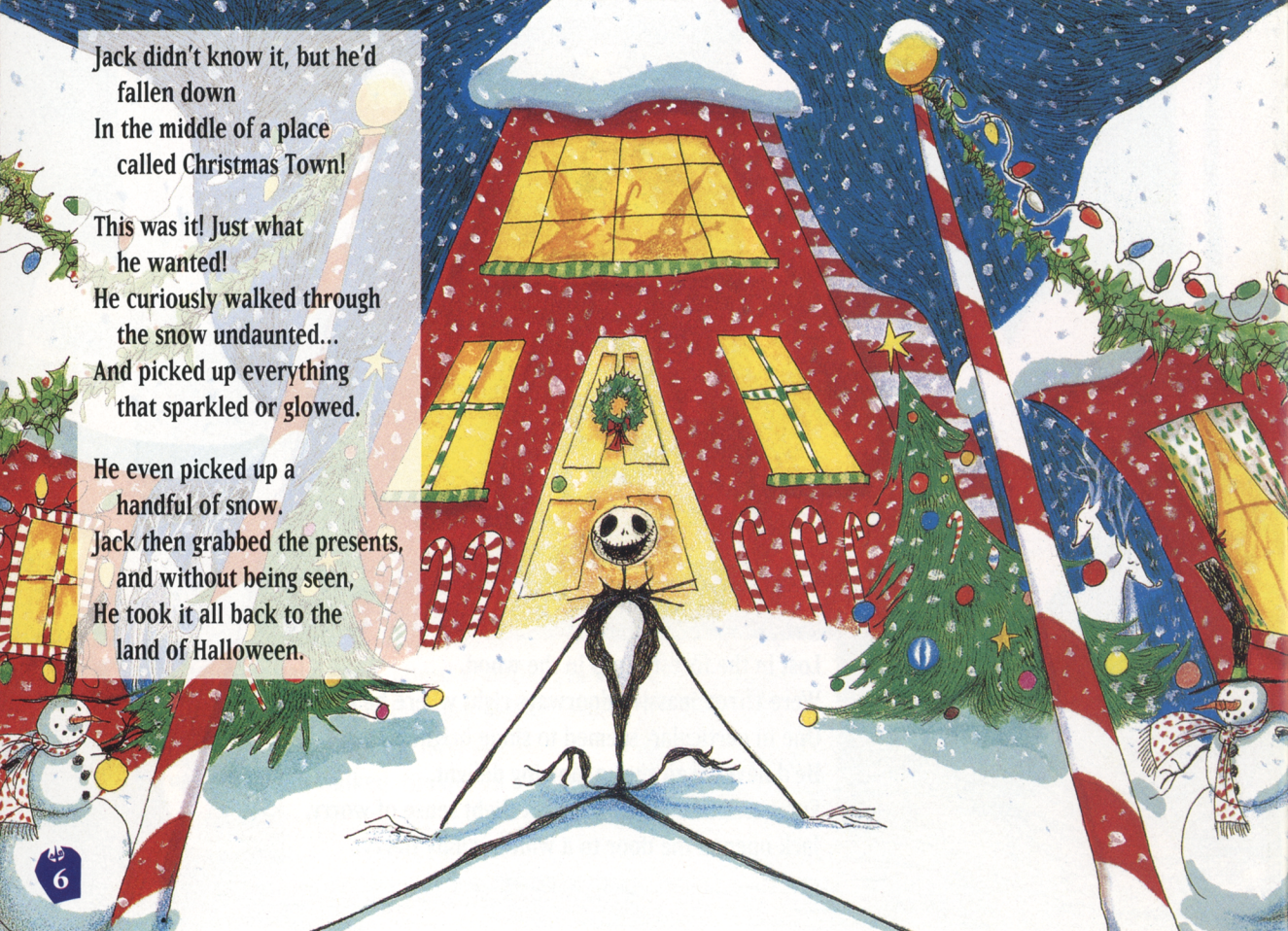


It was late one Fall night in Halloween Town
and the air had quite a chill.
Against the moon a skeleton sat, alone
upon a hill.
The Pumpkin King, Jack Skellington, in
charge of frights in the night,
Was feeling sad and lonely because
something wasn't right.


"I'm bored with Halloween, I need something new,
There must be more to life than just yelling 'Boo!'"
All that night and through the next day,
Jack wandered and walked, filled with dismay.

Lost in the forest, deep in the wood,
Were three massive doorways right where he stood.
One in particular, seemed to shine bright.
He'd never seen such a glowing delight.
Entranced and excited, with a slight sense of worry,
Jack opened the door to a white, windy flurry.



Jack didn't know it, but he'd
fallen down
In the middle of a place
called Christmas Town!

This was it! Just what
he wanted!
He curiously walked through
the snow undaunted...
And picked up everything
that sparkled or glowed.

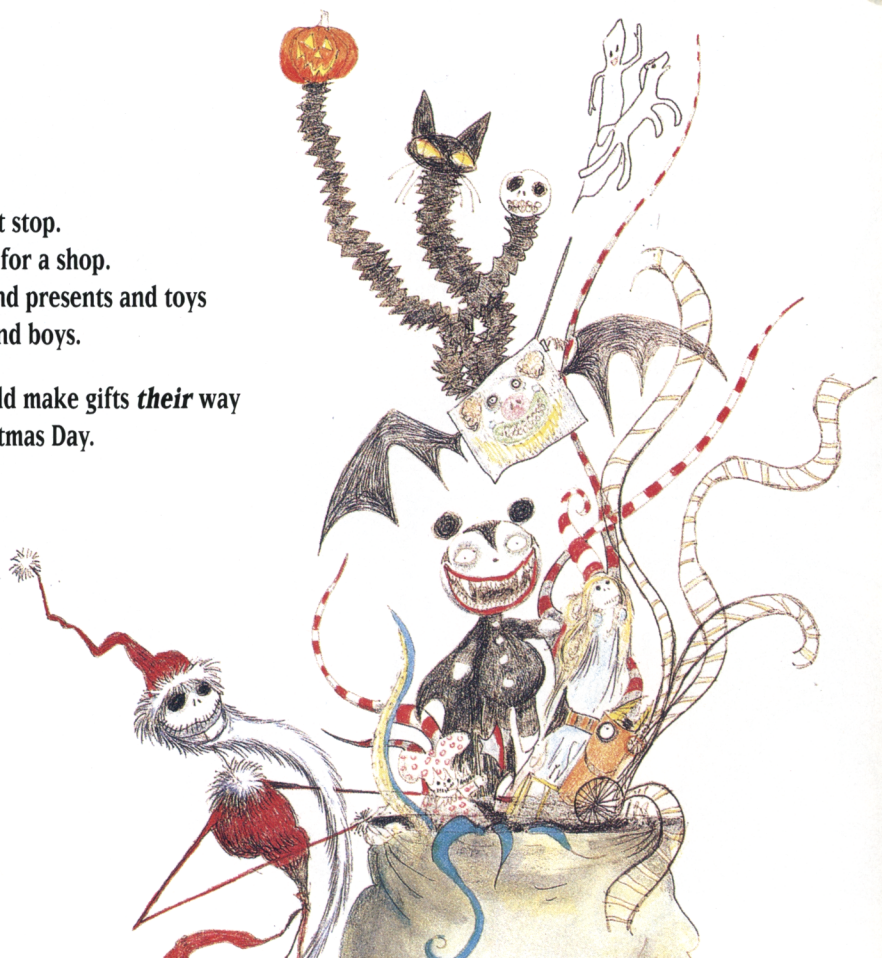
He even picked up a
handful of snow.
Jack then grabbed the presents,
and without being seen,
He took it all back to the
land of Halloween.

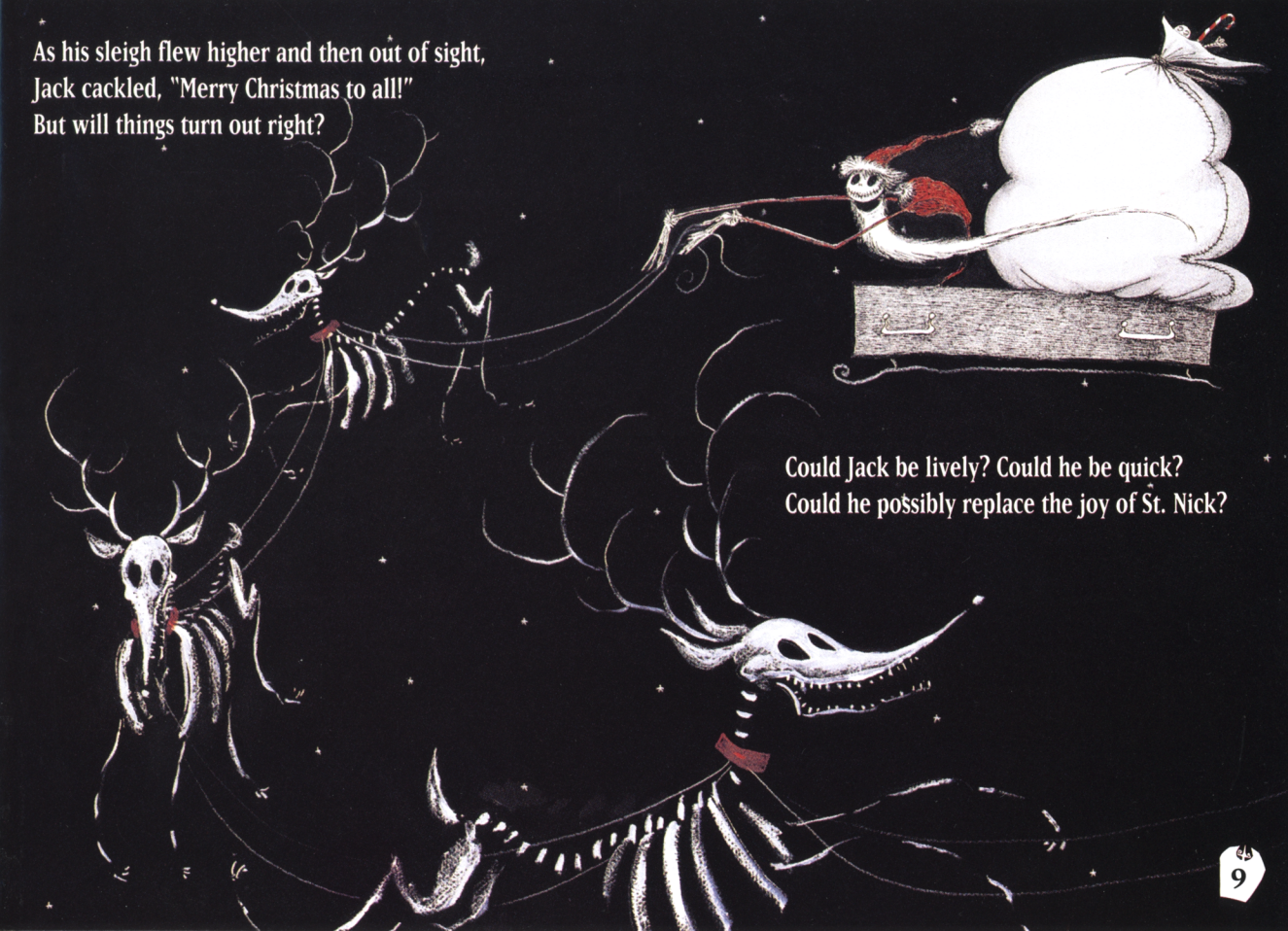
Back in Halloween Town a group of his peers
Stared in amazement at his souvenirs.

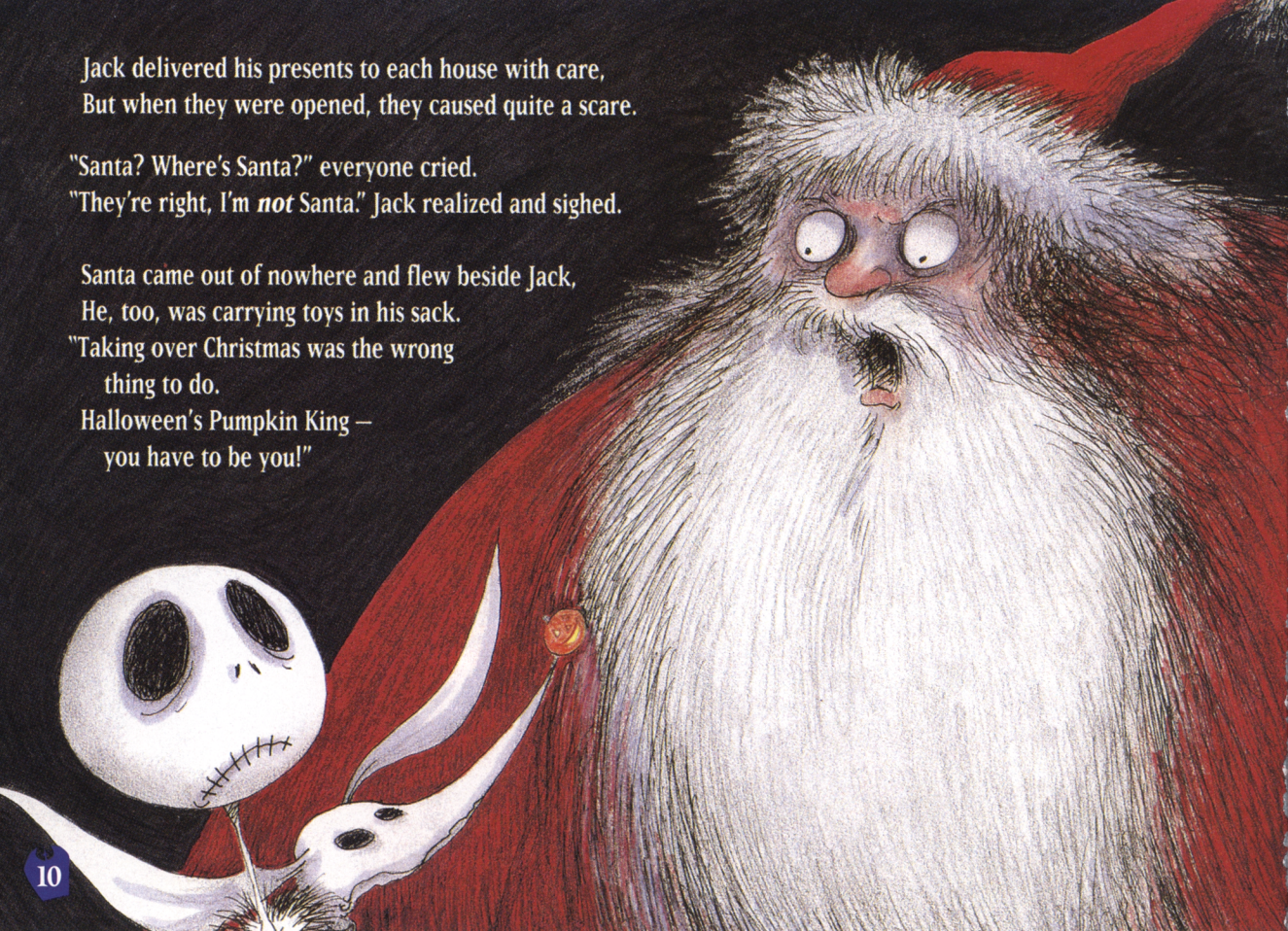
And for a few days, while it lightninged and thundered,
Jack sat in his home and wondered and wondered.
"Why does ***Santa*** get to do it year after year?
Well, ***I*** could be Santa and ***I*** could spread cheer!"
He had to come up with a plan, so he thought.
Then he got an idea. "Yes, yes...why not!"

Jack couldn't wait and he would not stop.
He announced to the town his plan for a shop.
They'd make baubles and bangles and presents and toys
And deliver them all to good girls and boys.

But Halloween Town residents would make gifts ***their*** way
And Jack would play Santa on Christmas Day.



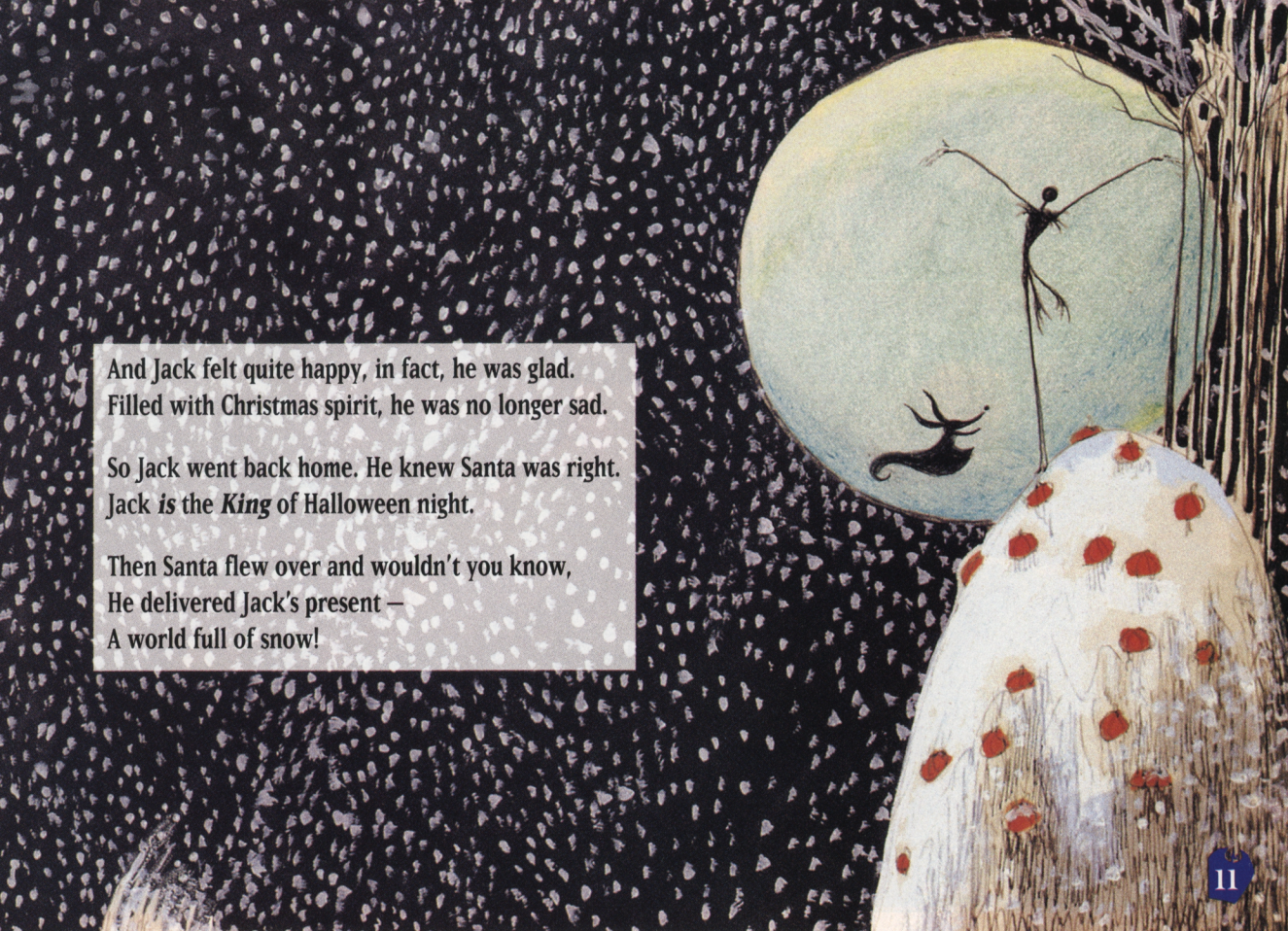

As his sleigh flew higher and then out of sight,
Jack cackled, "Merry Christmas to all!"
But will things turn out right?
Could Jack be lively? Could he be quick?
Could he possibly replace the joy of St. Nick?



Jack delivered his presents to each house with care,
But when they were opened, they caused quite a scare.

"Santa? Where's Santa?" everyone cried.
"They're right, I'm ***not*** Santa." Jack realized and sighed.

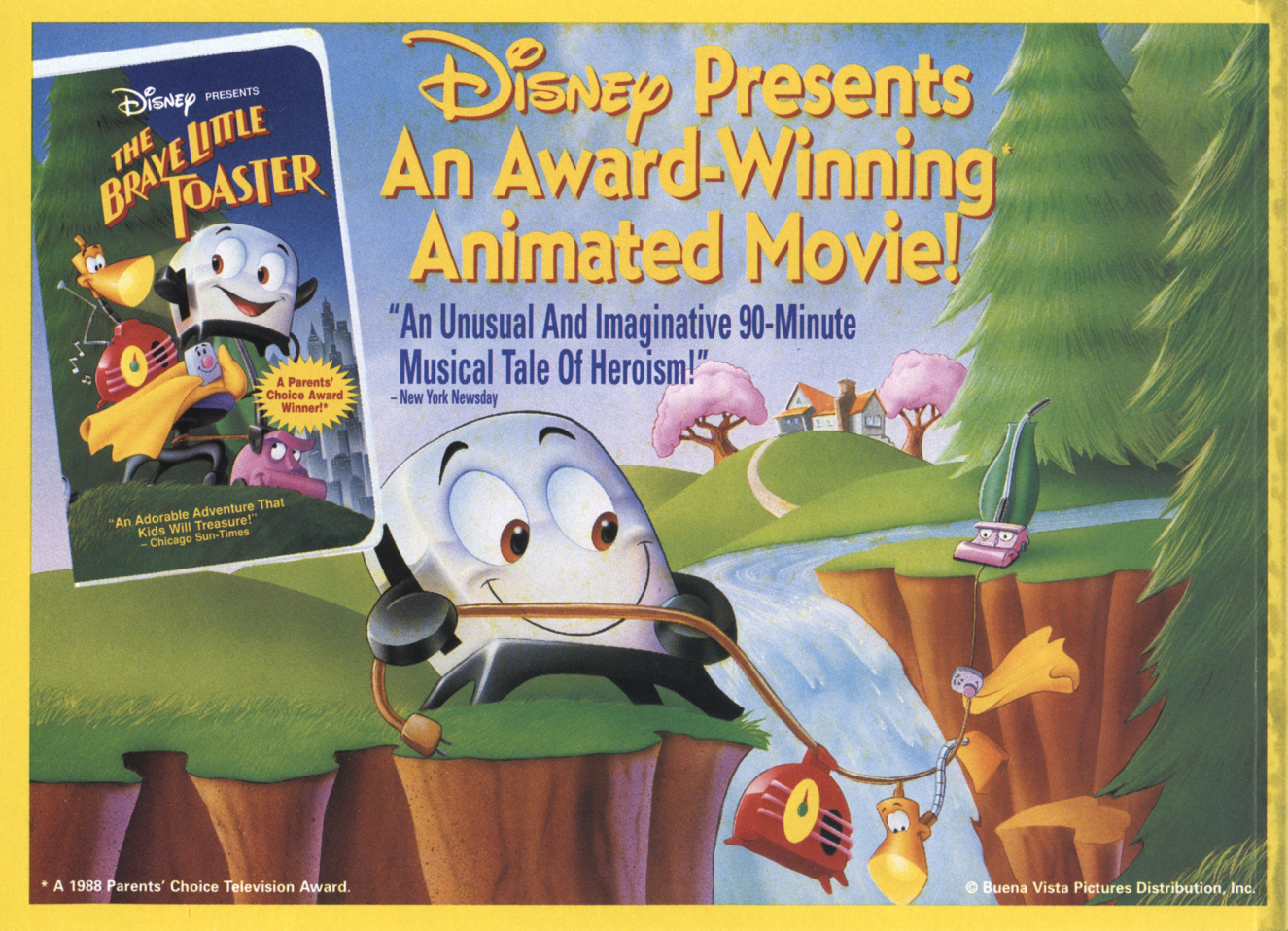
Santa came out of nowhere and flew beside Jack,
He, too, was carrying toys in his sack.
"Taking over Christmas was the wrong
thing to do.
Halloween's Pumpkin King —
you have to be you!"



And Jack felt quite happy, in fact, he was glad.
Filled with Christmas spirit, he was no longer sad.

So Jack went back home. He knew Santa was right.
Jack ***is*** the ***King*** of Halloween night.

Then Santa flew over and wouldn't you know,
He delivered Jack's present —
A world full of snow!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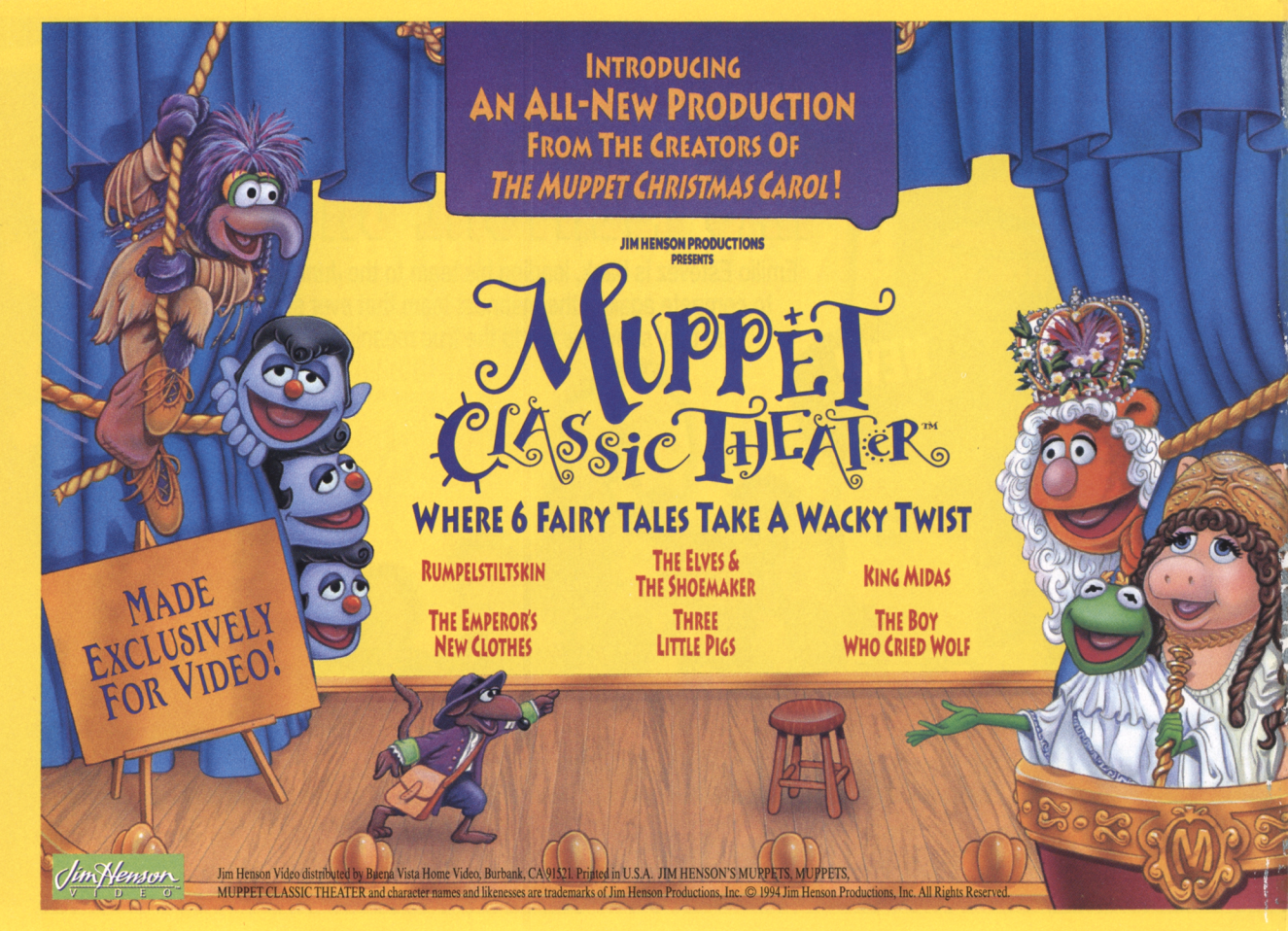
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